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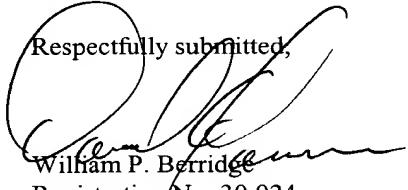
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Sir:

As a supplement to the Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 filed on December 10, 2004 in the above-identified application, and pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the attached documents. The reference listed in the December 10 Form PTO-1449 was cited in an Office Action from the Japanese Patent Office. An English language version of the Japanese Office Action is attached for the Examiner's information and as Applicants' supplemental separate statement regarding the relevance of the reference.

Should any questions arise regarding this communication, all inquiries may be directed to Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number set forth below.

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Attachments:

Copy of Office Action from the Japanese Patent Office
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